## IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

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- 15. (Original) A large scale module comprising:
- (a) a heat sink;
- (b) a metallic frame having a plurality of openings disposed on said heat sink;
- (c) a plurality of semiconductor power modules disposed on said heat sink so as to be mounted in said openings;
- (d) a plurality of sealing members disposed between said respective semiconductor power modules and said metallic frame;
- (e) a plastic cover for covering one surface of said metallic frame on which said semiconductor power module is mounted; and
  - (f) a resin filled into said cover.
- 16. (Original) The large scale module of claim 15, wherein respective electrodes of said semiconductor power module are connected in parallel or in series and connected to outer electrodes disposed on a top surface of said cover.
- 17. (Original) The large scale module of claim 15, wherein a second surface opposite to a first surface attached to the heat sink is covered by said plastic cover.
- 18. (Original) The large scale module of claim 15, wherein said semiconductor power module comprising:
  - (a) a ceramic substrate;
  - (b) a metallic plate bonded to a surface of said substrate;
- (c) a cylindrical metallic flange which is hermetically bonded to said substrte at an outer circumference of said substrate, separated from said metallic plate;

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- (d) a disk-shaped ceramic housing for hermetically sealing an opening of said metallic flange; and
- (e) at least one or more semiconductor chips mounted on and soldered to said metallic plate.
- 19. (Original) The large scale module of claim 15, wherein said semiconductor power module comprising:
  - (a) a ceramic substrate;
  - (b) a metallic plate bonded to a surface of said substrate;
- (c) a cylindrical metallic flange which is hermetically bonded to a surface of said metallic plate at a boundary of said metallic plate;
- (d) a disk-shaped ceramic housing for hermetically sealing an opening of said metallic flange; and
- (e) at least one or more semiconductor chips mounted on and soldered to said metallic plate.